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THE FUTURE AND POWER OF THE UNITED STATES.

"The Future and Power of the United States" is the title of an article just published by M. Hanotiaux, member of the French Academy, which the Journal de St. Petersburg, an influential Russian newspaper, reprints and reviews. The Russian estimate of the article is today made public by the Department of Commerce and Labor. "The great American Republic," says the Journal, "is already high above the horizon of the commercial world. Its attitude is menacing. All eyes are turned toward it. One word will express its position, 'power,' and one word will justify it, 'organization.' Power is shown nowhere so much as in a mere enumeration of the elements which make up the present and future greatness of the United States. Its territory is as large as that of Europe. It has 80,000,000 inhabitants. It touches the world's two great oceans. Its climatic conditions range from tropical to arctic. All kinds of minerals from gold to coal are found in its mines, along its rivers and in alluvial deposits. All kinds of plants from the cedar to the hyssop, are there; so, too, are all kinds of animal wealth from the whale to the bird of paradise. The articles of primary importance, iron, coal, cotton, cereals, all kinds of machines, from those harnessed to Niagara Falls to those which dress a hog in five minutes are there. Above and all over, permeating the life of the people, is an active and fertile genius, a spirit of enterprise, an assiduity of labor, perfect liberty and equality of all the citizens. If these are not the elements of a people's progress and prosperity, what are? Here there is a vast army armed to the teeth for the arts of peace, and even for the arts of war, lifting itself beyond the oceans, not a month from the ports of the old world, but a week. If one considers the question of freight the United States is nearer to the Mediterranean than Liverpool is to Marseille. Tomorrow this colossal empire, master of the Panama canal, will interfere in some way between Europe and Asia. It will control the commerce of the West and East, for it will hold the principal way."

Here are a few striking sentences from the French-Russian estimate of our importance: "It concentrates all the forces of domestic production for the purpose of pushing the products with an irresistible impulse upon the markets of the world. On the battlefields of international trade, clever strategists have organized a vast trust after any heretofore conceived, which binds the different States and the different industries therein. I refer to the great national trust, the tariff. Thus, at the beginning of the twentieth century, the United States faces the world as a most desirable market, on the one hand, and as an awful menace to manufacturing nations on the other. Will the prosperity and progress that have marked the American republic's movements during the last decade or two continue until they obscure us all? In other words, are we to be confronted by an American peril more terrible and more pressing than the yellow peril? The peril exists. Of this there is no doubt."

The author concludes his resume of the conditions in France and the United States by advising his countrymen to look to their new possessions in Algeria, Tunis and Indo-China for the future prosperity of the nation. "Let me tell them a simple story," he says. "In 1823 the commander of Fort Dearborn, a pessimist of that time, wrote to the Secretary of War of the United States as follows: 'I have the honor to inform you that this post should be abandoned, because the country surrounding it is such that it is impossible for a population to live here sufficient to justify the expense of keeping a fort at this place.' In 1903, seventy years later, the place where that fort stood had a population of a million and a half, and 27,000,000 people visited her exposition. I refer of course to Chicago."

A Singular Fatality.

When Arthur Zeichel, aged 12, fell from a boat to his death in a lake near Danbury, Ct., Tuesday the fourth member of the Peck family of Brooklyn, was drowned in less than a month. The Zeichel boy was the stepson of Dr. Herman T. Peck of Brooklyn, and it was on Sunday, July 17, that Dr. Peck attended the burial of his father mother and sister, who were drowned by the capsizing of a boat off Key West Fla., on July 9.

There is something singular about the similarity of the circumstances surrounding the drowning of each member of the family. Capt. George W. Peck went to Norfolk, Va., on July 4 and joined his wife and daughter Sarah, aged 15. He took them for a summer cruise on a small boat, the Mae. They stopped at Key West and started again for a cruise toward the Dry Tortugas.

Not far from Key West a squall struck the Mae, she was overturned, and Captain Peck, his wife and daughter were all drowned, despite the heroic efforts of others on board to save them. Mrs. Taylor and Dr. Herman T. Peck were the sole survivors of their party.

Shortly after his father and mother and sister were buried Dr. Peck went for an outing and rest near Danbury, Ct., taking along with him his stepson, Arthur

Zeichel. On Tuesday the boy was out canoeing on a lake near Danbury with another boy, Louis Ritch. The canoe overturned and the boys fell out. Ritch was rescued, but the fate of the Zeichel boy was that of his kind and he went to the bottom.

Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system, or dependency invariably precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely.

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Resorts of the South.

A beautiful specimen of artistic printing is "Summer in the Land of the Sky," a booklet issued by the passenger department of the Southern Railway, descriptive of the famous resorts of the Virginia and the Carolinas and other Southern States, reached by the Southern. It contains many half-tone illustrations showing the most noted of North Carolina's pleasure resorts and boarding houses with rates of each. It is a most useful guide. Copies may be had upon application at ticket office, or by addressing L. S. Brown, General Agent, Washington, D. C.

Low Week-End Rates from Washington, D. C., and Alexandria, Va., via Southern Railway.

Commencing Saturday, May 28, 1904, and continuing each Saturday and Sunday thereafter to and including Sunday, September 25, 1904, the Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets to Somerset, Warrenton, Harrisonburg, Blumont and intermediate stations and return at greatly reduced rates; tickets limited returning Monday after date of sale.

World's Fair, St. Louis, Mo., May-November, 1904.

On account of the above occasion, effective April 25, 1904, the Southern Railway will place on sale, daily, tickets at extremely low rates from Alexandria, Va., to St. Louis, Mo., and return, via Charlottesville, C. O. Railroad, Louisville and Southern Railway. The round trip rate from Alexandria for season ticket is \$31.20; for sixty-day limit ticket \$26, and for fifteen-day limit ticket \$21.50. For full information, as to schedules, sleeping car accommodations, illustrated literature, etc., address any agent or W. G. Llewellyn, Ticket Agent, Alexandria, Va. L. S. Brown, General Agent, W. H. Taylor, G. P. A., Washington, D. C.

Special Sunday Excursion Rates via Southern Railway.

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Summer Schedule 1904.

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Beginning Monday, August 1, we start our annual reduction sale of Manhattan Colored Negligee and Shirt Suits. This opportunity should be taken advantage of promptly while our stock is complete and the styles very desirable.

\$1.50 Manhattan Shirts reduced to..... \$1.15

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Summer Goods Greatly Reduced, Besides Many Other Very Special Values.

One bale over 2,000 yards heavy Unbleached Cotton, one yard wide, regular 6c quality. Special price, yd..... 4c

One case Amoskeag 7c Apron Gingham, special, yd..... 53c

Men's 81 Colored Negligee Shirts now Men's 50c Colored Negligee Shirts, now..... 35c

Ten dozen Men's 25c Strong Suspender. Special price, pair..... 15c

One lot Men's Extra Size 50c Balling-gau Underwear, Shirts and Drawers; sizes 44, 46, 48 and 50; reduced to, each..... 35c

Ten dozen Boys' Bathing Trunks reduced to, each..... 15c

Five rolls 20c Japanese Matting for one week reduced to, yd..... 19c

Five rolls 25c Japanese Matting for one week reduced to, yd..... 25c

One roll 35c Japanese Matting for one week reduced to, yd..... 49c

2,000 yards 5c, 10c and 12 1/2c Hamburg Embroidery reduced to, yd..... 4c

One case regular 5c Blue Calico reduced to, yd..... 4c

Ladies' 81 Lawn Wrappers reduced to, each..... 75c

Ladies' 75c Lawn Wrappers now..... 50c

Ladies' 1 1/2 White Pique Dress Skirts reduced to, each..... 89c

Ladies' 1 1/2 Voile Dress Skirts reduced to, each..... \$1.19

1,000 Ladies' 5c White Waists now..... 4c

Ladies' 50c Lawn Kimonos now..... 35c

Children's 25c Mull Caps now..... 19c

Children's 50c Mull Caps now..... 35c

Children's 81 Mull Hats now..... 68c

Children's 81 Mull Hats now..... 75c

All 10c and 12 1/2c Lawns now..... 7 1/2c

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Ladies' 81 Duck and Lawn Dress Skirts reduced to, each..... 75c

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